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Skin Disease, Bone Pains, Itchings, Aching Back, Blood Poison, Eczema.

To PROVE it, REMEDY sent FREE.



The above picture shows what Botanic Blood Balm will do, clearing the skin, healing all sores and eruptions, making the blood pure and rich.

How to tell you have blood disease. If you have the tell-tale pimples or eruptions on any part of the body, rheumatic aches and pains in bones or joints, aching back, swollen glands, or swellings and rashes on the skin, blood feels hot and watery, skin itches and burns, eczema, scabby sores, mucous patches in the mouth, sore throat, scrofula, copper-colored spots, hair on eyebrows falling out, boils, carbuncles, rash on the skin, ulcers, weak kidneys, eating, festering sores, you may be certain you suffer from poison in the blood.

Get the poison out of your system. By taking Botanic Blood Balm (B.B.B.). It is a purely vegetable extract, thoroughly tested in hospital and private practice, with over 5,000 cures made of the most obstinate cases. Botanic Blood Balm (B.B.B.) heals all sores, stops all aches and pains, reduces all swellings, makes blood pure and rich, completely changing the entire body into a clean, healthy condition.

Cancer Cured  
Blood Balm cures Cancers of all kinds, Suppurating Swellings, Eating, Festering Sores, Tumors, Ugly Ulcers. It kills the Cancer Poison and heals the sores or worst cancer perfectly. If you have a persistent Pimple, Wart, Swellings, Shooting, Stinging Pains, take Blood Balm and they will disappear before the cancer develops into Cancer. Many apparently hopeless cases of cancer cured by taking Botanic Blood Balm (B.B.B.).

Sold by all druggists. \$1 per large bottle. With directions for home cure. For free sample, write Blood Balm Co., No. 45 Blood Balm Building, Atlanta, Ga. Describe your trouble, and special free medical advice also sent in sealed letter. If already satisfied that B.B.B. is what you need, take a large bottle, as directed on label, and when the quantity is taken a cure is certain, sure and lasting. If not cured your money will be refunded.

ing rooms and dormitories for the largest girls in the orphanage. The magnificent building, recently erected by the Baptists of the State at a cost of \$25,000, is as elegant and useful as it is imposing. It has three stories and a turret tower, one foot in height. On the first floor, which is granolithic, are the boiler room, pantry, scullery, kitchen, bakery and the large dining room, which can seat with comfort five hundred children. The superintendent's office, reception room, guest chamber, four spacious school rooms and the large bowled floor chapel compose the second story. On the last floor are two class rooms, the museum, the library and the assembly hall, which is capable of seating 250 persons.

A LOVELY VIEW.  
Passing from the assembly hall the entrance is upon an open piazza, twenty feet wide and twice as many in length. This is directly over the main entrance and faces south. Upon it on warm days the breeze is most refreshing and the panorama of wooded hills, home-studded churches, winding river and the large city is once enchanting. To the southwest rises Twelve O'clock Knob, ever keeping guard over lovely Roanoke Valley. To the east and pretty town of Salem and to southeast, overlooking Roanoke city, Mill Mountain rears her head in the distance. Between the two peaks and stretching off into the hazy depths rolls an irregular stretch of mountain scenery, as pleasing and delightful a view as can be enjoyed in few parts of the State. Off to the east and over farm lands and orchards the twin Peaks of Outer Albemarle are visible.

The Baptists of Virginia can well be congratulated upon their achievements for the homeless ones of their church, and they can rest assured that the buildings they have put up will be used to the best advantage possible.

Superintendent Rev. George J. Hobday, with the aid of nine able and kind-hearted lady assistants, understands thoroughly just how to utilize best energy of the 125 children under his control. He has continually accurate knowledge of what is going on, and has all the time in his grasp the minutest details of the systematic workings of affairs. With such in charge the continued prosperity of the Baptist Orphanage is assured.

LITTLE GWINN M'CLUNG.

Madison County.

Special to The Times-Dispatch.

TWYMAN'S MILL, VA., Oct. 24.—One of the finest crops of apples gathered in many years has just been housed, and are being shipped to northern markets.

Mr. John Walters, near Madison Mills, having purchased property in California, expects to sell his farm at an early date and take his family out there.

Mr. Charles Wiley, who purchased the property for him, is visiting them, and they hope to return with him.

Miss Jessie Walters left for Washington a few days ago to spend the winter to study and perfect herself in music.

Miss Mary Tatum is spending the winter in Rhode, also to study music.

Miss Edith Payne, of Charlottesville, is teaching this winter for Mrs. E. Higgins at Madison Mills.

## THE CHICKEN ON THE FARM

Good Poultry Pays Equally as Well as Good Cattle.

A SUCCESSFUL BUSINESS

Nothing Brings Better Returns for the Amount of Capital Invested than a Well-Selected Flock in the Poultry Yard.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
NEGRO ARM, VA., Oct. 24.—In every barn-yard in our county there are to be found some of the feathered tribe. In many, far too many instances, it is a flock that does neither the owner nor itself any credit, being made up of mongrels.

As a practical farmer and poultryman, I take it that every farmer should have as much pride in his poultry as in any other stock upon his premises, and bestow upon it the necessary attention to produce from it best results. With most the days of cross breeds or no breeds in cattle, horses, hogs and sheep have passed, and they have properly equipped themselves for the successful rearing of the pure breeds. The same attention should be given the poultry house and its occupants.

CONDITIONS FAVORABLE.  
The farmer should be the successful poultryman. His surroundings are such that he has every advantage over the villager or his city cousin, who attempts to rear chickens in the confinement of a city lot, and who must procure all of his feed by purchase, and if his eggs are sold on the open market in many instances the balance is on the wrong side of the ledger.

Now any business to be successful, as men count success, must yield an income above the cost of conducting it. Our city cousins do succeed and purchase every ounce of feed given their fowls, thereby teaching our rural friends a lesson in economics. If they can and do succeed, and I am writing now of the purely market side of the question, should not the farmer be pre-eminently the successful poultryer? Let us look at the conditions by which he is surrounded—ample range for large flocks, an abundance of feed at the cost of production, grain, grass, grit, and the means of supply, much talked of is easily supplied by milk, much talked of is easily supplied by milk, much talked of is easily supplied by milk, much talked of is easily supplied by milk.

The farmer that is not the successful poultryer has no one to blame but himself, and perhaps has failed to see that he need not send his egg money to some far away advertiser for a patent egg producing food, but simply make intelligent use of what he has at hand.

A GREAT INDUSTRY.  
The Virginia farmer does not, apparently, realize the magnitude of the industry nor the profits accruing from it. The entire poultry output in our State, according to our commissioner of agriculture, is about \$6,000,000, and as large as that may seem, it is not much in excess of the product of single counties in other States. There is in New York a farm from which the product is \$100 per day, and there are a good number of men whose annual sales exceed \$20,000 a year. Not one of these men have the ideal of the successful and profitable poultryer, and leave it for those of more enterprise than we are apparently possessed of to reap the harvest. With the present difficulty of securing competent labor our farmers it seems to the writer that our farmers would do well to forsake some of the fossilized ideas that they are now possessed of and devote more attention to poultry and fruits for profit.

A CASE IN POINT.  
That the seeming outlay for pure bred poultry may be shown to be a fallacy, and that it pays to keep good blood, I recite one instance. Last March the writer sold a pen of White Wyandotte fowls, consisting of four hens and a cockerel, for \$12. Shortly afterward one of the hens died from ovarian trouble, leaving but three hens; yet mark the success. Besides having eggs and fowls for home, the party writes me: "We have about evenly divided between pullets and cockerels." With no advertising they will easily net him \$100. Can any other investment show so large a yield of profit?

## FINE CATTLE IN SOUTHWEST

Unexcelled Exhibit at the District Fair at Radford

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

RADFORD, VA., Oct. 24.—A staff correspondent of The Times-Dispatch, in writing recently of the cattle of Southwest Virginia, expressed surprise at seeing cattle weighing 1,500 pounds. And yet at the District Fair last week were numbers of animals weighing more than 2,000 pounds, with cows weighing 1,500 and yearlings over 900 pounds.

The cattle exhibit consisted of ninety-five thousand head of the finest strains. An encouraging feature this year was the increase in the number of exhibitors. Last year there were only three or four herds of any class. This year there were seven exhibitors of short-horns and five of Herefords.

Following are the exhibitors of short-horns: Mayor John T. Cowan, of Montgomery; Major W. W. Bentley, of Pulaski; Polytechnic Institute; Mr. C. C. Bryant, of Grayson county; Mr. W. W. George, of Smyth county; Mr. J. G. Davis, of Grayson county; and ex-Governor Tyler, of Radford.

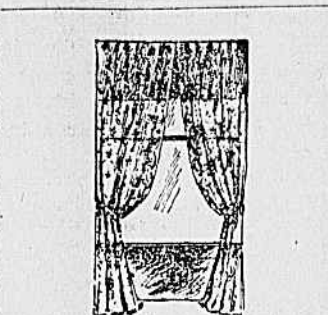
The Hereford exhibitors were Mr. S. W. Anderson, of Greenbrier, W. Va.; Mr. Haynes L. Morgan, of Smyth county; Polytechnic Institute; Mr. C. B. Einstein, of Montgomery; and Mr. Edgar Phillips, of Grayson county.

The Polled Angus cattle were represented by splendid specimens from the Virginia Polytechnic Institute.

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Extra Heavy Solid Oak Leather Seat Chair, regular value \$2.50.

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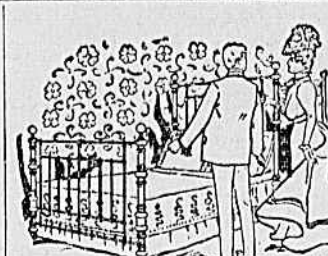
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